

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

REGARDING:

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FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
CHARLESTON DIVISION
CIVIL ACTION NO.: 2:18-CV-02003-DCN

Chris Templeton,

Plaintiff,

vs.

The Bishop of Charleston, a Corporation
Sole,

Defendant.

**DECLARATION OF REV. TIMOTHY J.
WATTERS**

I, Rev. Timothy J. Watters declare as follows:

1. I am over the age of 18 and have personal knowledge of the matters herein.
2. I am a retired priest of the Diocese of Charleston, South Carolina.
3. I served as *Advocate* and later *Officialis* of the Diocesan Tribunal, which is the ecclesiastical court for the Diocese.
4. I have no information regarding the accusations against Fr. DuMouchel, nor do I have any information regarding Chris Templeton and his claims.
5. I have no information regarding Wayland Yoder Brown's criminal activities, nor do I have any information regarding Chris Templeton and his claims. I met Wayland Brown briefly in 1977 when I was visiting St. Joseph's Parish in Charleston. Wayland Brown was visiting Rev. Thomas Evatt and Rev. Christopher Lathem, both of whom resided at St. Joseph's. I recall him only because he used sexual innuendo as a form of humor, which was unusual for a priest.

6. I am not aware of any canonical or ecclesiastical proceeding regarding Fr. DuMouchel or Wayland Brown during the years I was appointed to the Diocesan Tribunal.

7. I possess no documents requested by the Plaintiff in the subpoena.

8. I have no idea who Janet Warren is, and have no information regarding her.

9. I have had no communication with Dawes Cooke.

10. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James L. Dralle", is written over a horizontal line.

October 29, 2020

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 30th day of October, 2020, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system when will send notification of such filing to the following:

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